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HOUSE BILL 185

48TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2007

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AN ACT

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR RECRUITMENT AND TRAINING OF
UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS FOR PREPARATION IN HEALTH CARE CAREERS
SERVING RURAL AND UNDERSERVED AREAS OF THE STATE AT NEW
MEXICO'S SMALLER UNIVERSITIES.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. APPROPRIATION.--Two hundred fifty thousand
dollars (\$250,000) is appropriated from the general fund to the
board of regents of New Mexico highlands university for
expenditure in fiscal year 2008 to establish a demonstration
and research program that will better prepare undergraduate
students from small universities for successful entry into
medical school or other related health fields. This includes a
focused undergraduate curriculum, summer science academies,
remote learning, medical school entrance examination

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1 preparation and mentoring by rural physicians and physicians
2 associated with the New Mexico Hispanic medical association.
3 Any unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining at the end of
4 fiscal year 2008 shall revert to the general fund.

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